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SUBJ: US SHIP VISIT TO HODEIDA

REF: STATE 97541

1.ON BALANCE WE THINK TIME IS NOW TOO SHORT TO ENABLE US
HANDLE LOGISTICS OF MID-MAY USS PAUL VISIT TO HODEIDA.

2. THERE IS ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATION THAT DATT COL.
FIFER, ACCOMPANIED BY PROBABLE REPLACEMENT MAJOR PLUMMER,
CAN SCHEDULE ONLY ONE MORE VISIT TO YEMEN. IF HE WERE
TO HELP US WITH USS PAUL VISIT, THAT WOULD BE OCCASION
FOR HIS FINAL CALLS AND TRASFER OF CONTACTS TO SUCCESSOR.
IN THIS SENSE, TIMING IS ALSO POOR IN THAT MANY
KEY KIGURES, ESPECIALLY CHIEF OF STAFF MASWARI, ARE OUT
OF COUNTRY.

3. WE WOULD HOPE, HOWEVER, THAT DEPARTMENT RESPONSE TO
COMIDEASTFOR WILL BE VERY POSITIVE IN TERMS OF APPROVAL
FOR EARLY FUTURE US NAVAL VISIT, WHENEVER THIS CAN BE
WORKED INTO COMIDEASTFOR'S SHIPS' SCHEDULES. WE THINK
THAT WITH PROPER HANDLING, A US NAVAL VISIT CAN ATTEST
TO YAR US INTEREST IN ITS WELL-BEING WITHOUT UPSETTING
EVOLVING US DIALOGUE WITH PDRY.

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4. RE CONGRESSMAN FINDLEY'S CONVERSATIONS IN ADEN, WE

WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY OF
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